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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

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| 2002 | University of California, Berkeley
Ph.D. in Social / Personality Psychology |
| 1997 | Chinese University of Hong Kong
M.A. in Social / Cultural Psychology |
| 1995 | Bemidji State University
B.S. in Psychology |

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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| 2017-present | Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ
Professor, Department of Psychology |
| 2009-2017 | Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ
Associate Professor, Department of Psychology |
| 2002-2009 | Princeton University, New Jersey
Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology |

FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS, & HONORS

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| 2017 | Elected Fellow, Society for Social and Personality Psychology |
| 2012 | Early Professional Career Award, Division 52, International Psychology,
American Psychological Association |
| 2012 | Elected member of the committee on International Relations in Psychology,
American Psychological Association |
| 2008 | Inaugural Sage Young Scholars Award, Foundation of Social and Personality
Psychology |
| 2007 | Identified as a Psychological Science's Rising Star, American Psychological
Society (Featured in <i>Observer</i> , October, 2007) |
| 2007 | Elected Fellow, Society of Experimental Social Psychology |

2005	Old Dominion Fellow, Princeton University
2005	Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford University
2002	Theoretical Innovation Prize, Society for Personality and Social Psychology
2002	The best article published in the Journal of Research in Personality
2001-2002	UC Dissertation Year Fellowship
2001	Departmental Fellowship, University of California, Berkeley
1997-1999	Graduate Opportunity Fellowship, University of California, Berkeley
1994	Award of Excellence in the Minnesota State Undergraduate Statistics Contest
1993	New Writer Award, Bemidji State University

FUNDED RESEARCH GRANTS

2016 - 2020	Institute of Educational Science: Strengthening Present- Future Self-Continuity Improves College persistence. IES R305A160023: \$1,392,233; Role: PI.
2015	Facebook's Research and Academic Relations Program Award. \$50,000;
2015 - 2018	National Science Foundation: Resilient Cyber-Enabled Electric Energy and Water Infrastructures: Modeling and Control under Extreme Mega Drought Scenarios. NSF 1541026: \$1,478,907; Role: Co-PI.
2013	Arizona State University: Enhancing the Academic Success of ASU Students from Low Income Families. \$40,000; Role: PI
2006-2009	National Science Foundation: A Componential Approach to Self-Perception. NSF 0541896: \$275,001; Role: PI.

SERVICE

Professional Service

2015	Invited Member of a workgroup for the Centre for Educational Research and Innovation, OECD
2014 - 2015	Member of the selection committee for the Early Career Award, International Society for Self and Identity (ISSI)

2012 - 2014	Advisory Committee Member for Psychology International, A Publication of the Office of International Affairs, APA
2012 - 2014	Elected member of the Committee on International Relations in Psychology, APA
2010	Chair of the selection committee for the Jack Block Award, Society for Personality and Social Psychology
2009	Member of the selection committee for the Jack Block Award, Society for Personality and Social Psychology
2007	Member of the inaugural selection committee for the Carol and Ed Diener Award to mid-career scholars, Foundation for Personality and Social Psychology
2003 - 2006	Treasurer and Secretary, International Society for Self and Identity (ISSI)

Conference Organizer/Committee Member

2016 – present	Conference Program Chair: Division 8 Social Psychology, American Psychological Association.
2014 - 2017	Organizer: Advances in Cultural Psychology, Preconference, Society for Social and Personality Psychology
2011	Organizer of the Inaugural Conference for Social Psychology in Arizona
2008	Member of the scientific subcommittee for <i>The Chinese Psychologist Conference</i> (CPC; Hong Kong, China)

Invited Faculty Affiliate

2015 - present	Faculty Affiliate, International Summer Institute, Korea University, Seoul,
2015 - present	Center for Cybersecurity and Digital Forensics, Arizona State University
2011	External Faculty Member, Center for Evolution and Cancer, University of California, San Francisco Medical Center

Editorial Boards

2015 – present	Journal of Personality and Social Psychology, PPID
2014 – present	Cultural Diversity & Ethnic Minority Psychology
2010 – present	Social and Personality Psychology Compass
2009 – present	Basic and Applied Social Psychology

2006 – 2016

Journal of Experimental Social Psychology

Editor of Special Issues

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| 2016 | A special issue entitled "How groups influence, maintain, and overcome health disparities" for <i>Group Processes and Intergroup Relations</i> |
| 2014 | A special issue entitled "The Social Cognition of Modern Disasters" for <i>Social Cognition</i> |
| 2009 | A special issue entitled "Two sides to every self-process: The pros and cons" for <i>Self and Identity</i> |
| 2008 | A special issue entitled "Missing links in social cognition: The continuum from nonhuman agents to dehumanized humans" for <i>Social Cognition</i> |

Ad-Hoc Reviewer for Journals, Books, and Research Funding Agencies

- American Psychologist
- Asian Journal of Social Psychology
- Basic and Applied Social Psychology
- Cambridge Press
- Cultural Diversity & Ethnic Minority Psychology
- European Journal of Social Psychology
- Group Processes and Intergroup Relations
- Journal of Cross-Cultural Psychology
- Journal of Experimental Psychology
- Journal of Experimental Social Psychology
- Journal of Personality
- Journal of Personality and Social Psychology
 - Attitudes and Social Cognition
 - Interpersonal Relations and Group Processes
 - Personality Processes and Individual Differences
- Oxford University Press
- Personality and Social Psychology Review
- Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin
- Perspectives on Psychological Science
- PLOS One National Science Foundation
- Psychological Bulletin
- Psychological Review
- Psychological Science
- Psychology and Aging
- Research Grants Council of Hong Kong
- Science
- Social and Personality Psychology Compass
- Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Canada
- Time-sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS)

- United States-Israel Binational Science Foundation

COURSES TAUGHT

Instructor:

- Graduate Seminar in Judgment and Decision Making, Arizona State University
- Graduate Seminar in Self and Social Perception, Arizona State University
- Graduate Seminar in Cultural Psychology, Princeton University
- Cultural Psychology, Princeton University, Arizona State University
- Introduction to Personality, Arizona State University
- Introduction to Personality, Princeton University
- Social Psychology, Korea University
- Graduate Seminar in Social Psychology, University of Pennsylvania

PUBLICATIONS (SUPERVISED STUDENT AUTHORS DENOTED BY *)

REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES AND INVITED CHAPTERS

SUPERVISED STUDENT AUTHORS DENOTED BY *

*Votruba, A. M., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (in press). When in Rome think like a Roman: Empirical evidence and implications of temporarily adopting dialectical cognition. *The Psychological and Cultural Foundations of Dialectical Thinking*. Editors Spencer-Rodgers, J. & Peng, K. Oxford University Press.

Bodford, J. E.* & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2017). A Game theoretical approach to hacktivism: Is Attack likelihood a product of risks and payoffs? *Cyberpsychology, Behavior, and Social Networking: Special Issue on Cybercrime*.

Bodford, J. E.*, **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & Sobota, D. S.* (2017). Fatal attractions: Attachment to cell phones predicts dangerous and socially inappropriate multitasking behaviors. *Cyberpsychology, Behavior, and Social Networking*.

*Adelman, R.M., *Herrmann, S.D., *Bodford, J.E., *Barbour, J.E., Graudejus, O., Okun, M.A., & **Kwan**, V.S.Y. (2017). Feeling Closer to the Future Self and Doing Better: Temporal Psychological Mechanisms Underlying Academic Performance. *Journal of Personality*, 85, 398-408.

Stone, J., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2016). How group processes influence, maintain, and overcome health disparities. *Group Process Intergroup Relations*, 4, 411-414.

*Herrmann, S. D., *Adelman, R. M., *Bodford, J. B., Graudejus, O., Okun, M. A., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2016). The effects of a female role model on academic performance and persistence of students enrolled in STEM courses. *Basic and Applied Social Psychology*, 38(5), 258-268.

*Basilio, C., *Towers, M., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2016). Culture and risk assessments: Why Latino Americans perceive greater risk for Diabetes. *Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology*, 22, 104-113.

Miller, J. D., Maples, J. L., Buffardi, L., Cai, H., Gentile, B., *Kisbu-Sakarya, Y., **Kwan**, V.S.Y., LoPilato, A., Pendry, L. F., Sedikides, C., Siedor, L., & Campbell, W. K. (2015). Narcissism and United States' Culture: The view from home and around the world. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 109, 1068-1089.

*Votruba, A. M. & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2015). Disagreeing on whether agreement is best: perceptions of expert group decisions. *PLoS One*. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0121426>.

Kwan, V. S. Y., *Yexin J. L., *White, A. E., & *Jacobson, R. P. View the world through the cultural lens of your consumers (2015). *The Handbook of Culture and Consumer Behavior*, A. Y. Lee & S. Ng (Eds.), Oxford University Press.

Kwan, V. S. Y., & *Bodford, J. E. (2015). The Psychology of cyberlife engagement. In R. A. Scott & S. M. Kosslyn (Eds.) *Emerging Trends in the Social and Behavioral Sciences*, Thousand Oaks, CA: Wiley Publications.

Kwan, V. S. Y., & *Herrmann, S. D. (2014). The Interplay between Culture and Personality. *The Handbook of Personality*, L. Cooper & R. Larsen (Eds.), the American Psychological Association, p. 553-574.

*Lee, T. L., *Wilton, L. S., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2014). Essentializing ethnicity: identification constraint reduce diversity interest. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, 55, 194-200.

Kwan, V. S. Y., & *Andrew Edward White (2014). "The social cognition of global modern disasters." *Social Cognition*, 32, 203-205.

*White, A. E., *Johnson, K. A., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2014). Four ways to infect me: Spatial, temporal, social, and probability distance influence evaluations of disease threat. *Social Cognition*, 32, 239-255.

*Diaz, P., *Stahl, J., *Lovis-McMahon, D., *Kim, H. Y., & **Kwan**, V. S.Y. (2013). Pathways to Health Services Utilization: Overcoming Economic Barriers through Support Mechanisms. *Advances in Applied Sociology*, 3(4), 193-198.

Kwan, V. S. Y., *Wojcik, S. P., Miron-shatz, T., *Votruba, A. M., & Olivola C.Y. (2012). Effects of Symptom Presentation Order on Perceived Disease Risk. *Psychological Science*, 23, 381-385.

Cai, H., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & Sedikides, C. A. (2012). Sociocultural Approach to Narcissism: The Case of Modern China. *European Journal of Personality*, 26, 529-535.

Aktipis C. A., **Kwan** V. S. Y., *Johnson, K. A., Neuberg, S. L., & Maley, C. C., (2011). Overlooking Evolution: A Systematic Analysis of Cancer Relapse and Therapeutic Resistance Research. *PLoS ONE*, 6, 1-8.

Kwan, V. S. Y., *Diaz, P., *Wojcik, S. P., *Matula, K. A., *Kim, H. Y., & *Rodriguez, K.(2011). Self as the target and the perceiver: A componential approach to self-enhancement. A special issue on contemporary perspectives on self-perception for *Psychological Studies: Official Publications of the National Academy of Psychology, India*, 56, 151-158.

*Diaz, P., Saenz, D. S., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2011) Economic dynamics and changes in attitudes towards undocumented Mexican immigrants in Arizona. *Analyses of Social Issues and Public Policy*, 11, 300-313.

*Amati, F., *Oh, H., **Kwan**, V.S.Y., *Jordan, K., & Keenan, J. P. (2010). Overclaiming and the medial prefrontal cortex: A Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation study. *Cognitive Neuroscience*, 1, 268-276.

Kwan, V. S. Y., *Hui, C. M., & *McGee, J. A. (2010). What do we know about the Chinese self? In M. H. Bond (2nd ed., pp. 279-294). *The Hand Book of Chinese Psychology*, 2nd Edition, Oxford, England: Dover Publications.

Kwan, V. S. Y., & Gaertner, L. A. (2009). Two sides to every self-process: The pros and the cons. *Self and Identity*, 8, 113-114.

Kwan, V. S. Y., *Kuang, L. L., & *Hui, N. (2009). Identifying the sources of self-esteem: The mixed medley of benevolence, merit, and bias. *Self and Identity*, 8, 176-195.

*Cuddy, A. J. C., Fiske, S. T., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y., Glick, P., Demoulin, S., Levens, J. P. and others. (2009). Is the Stereotype Content Model culture-bound? A cross-cultural comparison reveals systematic similarities and differences. *British Journal of Social Psychology*, 48, 1-33.

*Alter, A., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2009). Cultural sharing in a global village: evidence for extracultural cognition in white Americans. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 96, 742-760.

Kwan, V. S. Y., John, O. P., Robins, R. W., & *Kuang, L. L. (2008). Conceptualizing and assessing Self-Enhancement Bias: A Componential Approach. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 94, 1062-1077.

Kwan, V. S. Y., & Fiske, S. T. (2008). Missing links in social cognition: The continuum from nonhuman agents to dehumanized humans. *Social Cognition*, 26, 125-128.

Kwan, V. S. Y., *Kuang, L. L., & *Zhao, B. (2008). In search of optimal ego: When self-enhancement bias helps and hurts adjustment. H. Wayment & J. Bauer (Eds.). *Quieting the ego: Psychological benefits of transcending ego* (pp. 43-52). American Psychological Association.

Kwan, V. S. Y., Gosling, S. D., & John, O. P. (2008). Anthropomorphism as a special case of social perception: A cross-species comparative approach and a new empirical paradigm. *Social Cognition*, 26, 129-142.

*Barrios, V, **Kwan**, V. S. Y., *Gorman, J., *Weir, L., *Sip, K., Ganis, G., *Romanowsk, J., & Keenan, J. P. (2008). Elucidating the neural correlates of egoistic and moralistic self-enhancement. *Consciousness and Cognition*, 17, 451-456.

Kwan, V. S. Y., & *Mandisodza, A. N. (2007). Self-Esteem: On the relation between conceptualization and measurement. In C. Sedikides & S. Spencer (Eds.). *Frontiers in social psychology: The Self* (pp. 259-282). Philadelphia, PA: Psychology Press.

Kwan, V. S. Y., *Barrios, V., Ganis, G., *Gorman, J., Lange, C., *Kumar, M., *Shepard, A., & Keenan, J. P. (2007). Assessing the neural correlates of self-enhancement bias: A Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation study. *Experimental Brain Research*, 182, 379-385.

Kwan, V. S. Y., John, O. P., & *Thein, S. M. (2007). Broadening the research on self-esteem: A new scale for longitudinal studies. *Self and Identity*, 6, 20-40.

*Chu, T., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2007). Effect of collectivistic cultural imperatives on Asian American meta-stereotypes. *Asian Journal of Social Psychology*, 10, 270-276.

*Lin, M., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., *Cheung, A., Fiske, S. T. (2005). Stereotype content model explains prejudice for an envied outgroup: Anti-Asian-Americans Prejudice Scale. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 31, 34-47.

Kwan, V. S. Y., John, O. P., Kenny, D. A., Bond, M. H., & Robins, R. W. (2004). Reconceptualizing individual differences in self-enhancement bias: An interpersonal approach. *Psychological Review*, 111, 94-111. Awarded the Theoretical Innovation Prize, Society for Personality and Social Psychology.

Vescio, T. K., Judd, C. M., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2004). Categorization and intergroup bias in crossed contexts: Examining the benefits of crossed categories. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, 40, 478-496.

Robins, R. W., Mendelsohn, G. A., Connell, J. B., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2004). Do people agree about the causes of behavior? A Social Relations Analysis of behavior ratings and causal attributions. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 86, 334-344.

Kwan, V.S.Y. (2004). Our beastly selves: Exorcising the ghosts of anthropomorphism. *The APS Observer*, 17, 12.

Gosling, S. D., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & John, O. P. (2003). A dog's got personality: A cross-species comparative approach to personality judgments in dogs and humans. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 85, 1161-1169.

Swann, W. B. Jr., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., Polzer, J. T., & Milton, L. P. (2003). Capturing the elusive "value in diversity" effect: Individuation, self-verification and performance in small groups. *Personality and Social Psychological Bulletin*, 29, 1396-1406.

Swann, W. B. Jr., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., Polzer, J. T., & Milton, L. P. (2003). Waning of stereotypic perceptions in small groups: Identity negotiation and erosion of gender expectations of women. *Social Cognition*, 21, 194-212.

Kwan, V. S. Y., Bond, M. H., Boucher, H. C., Maslach, C., & Gan, Y. Q. (2002). The construct of individuation: More complex in collectivist than in individualist cultures? *Personality and Social Psychological Bulletin*, 28, 300-310.

Helson, R., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., John, O. P., & Jones, C. (2002). The growing evidence for personality change in adulthood: Findings from research with personality inventories. *Journal of Research in Personality*, 36, 287-306.

Helson, R., Jones, C., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2002). Personality change in adulthood: Hierarchical Linear Modeling analyses of two longitudinal samples. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 83, 752-766.

Helson, R., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2000). Personality change in adulthood: The broad picture and processes in one longitudinal sample. In S. E. Hampson (Ed.), *Advances in Personality Psychology* (Vol. 1, pp.77-106). Philadelphia, PA.: Psychology Press/Taylor & Francis.

Bond, M. H., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & Li, C. (2000). Decomposing a sense of superiority: The differential

social impact of self-regard and regard for others. *Journal of Research in Personality*, 34, 537-553.

Li, C., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & Bond, M. H. (1999). Nomological network of relationship harmony for Chinese. In W. J. Lonner & D. L. Dinnel (Eds.), *Merging past, present, and future in cross-cultural psychology: Selected papers from the Fourteenth International Congress of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology* (pp. 398-405). Lisse, Netherlands: Swets & Zeitlinger.

Kwan, V. S. Y., Bond, M. H., & Singelis, T. S. (1997). Pancultural explanations for life satisfaction: Adding relationship harmony to self-esteem. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 73, 1038-1051.

REFEREED PUBLISHED ABSTRACTS, ENCYCLOPEDIA, & COMMENTARY

*Votruba A. M., *Sng, O., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2015). *Adopting a Group Attention Perspective: Comments for "Group Attention at the Origin: On the Psychological Power of Descriptive Norms,"* by Garriy Shteynberg. *Journal of Cross-Cultural Psychology*, 46, 1324. [Commentary]

Kwan, V.S.Y., *Johnson, K.A., *Neel, R., Cohen, A.B. (2010). Anthropomorphism. *The Corsini Encyclopedia of Psychology* 4th Edition.

Kwan, V. S. Y., & *McGee, J. A. (2009). Individuation. In Harry T. Reis & Susan Sprecher (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Human Relationships*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Gosling, S. D., *Hilliard, S. J., *Schapiro, S. J., Vazire, S., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & John, O. P. (2009). Personality and performance in working dogs. *Journal of Veterinary Behavior: Clinical Applications and Research*, 4, 73.

Gosling, S. D., *Hilliard, S. J., *Schapiro, S. J., Vazire, S., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & John, O. P. (2008). Assessing Personality and Temperament in Animals. *Journal of Veterinary Behavior: Clinical Applications and Research*, 3, 177.

REFEREED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Adelman, R.M., Okun, M. A., Graudejus, O., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2017). *Connectedness to the Future Self in Performance Contexts, Underlying Mechanisms, and the Role of Culture*. Poster presented at the annual meeting for the Society of Personality and Social Psychology in San Antonio, TX.

Bodford, J. E. & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2017). *A Game theoretical approach to hacktivism: Is Attack likelihood a product of risks and payoffs?* Poster presented at the Eighteenth Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Psychology of Technology Preconference. San Antonio, TX: The Society for Personality and Social Psychology.

Adelman, R.M., Herrmann, S.D., Barbour, J. E., Graudejus, O., Okun, M. A., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2016). *Future self-connectedness buffers the effect of academic setbacks on grade expectations*. Poster presented at the annual meeting for the Society of Personality and Social Psychology in San Diego, CA.

Bodford, J. E. & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2016). **Cyberpsychology: The interdisciplinary study of social psychological processes in the digital age**. Symposium delivered at The Twenty-Eighth Annual

Convention of the Association for Psychological Science. Chicago, IL: The Association for Psychological Science.

Bodford, J. E. & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2016). Hacking for the Greater Good: Hacktivism as a Product of Deindividuation, Power and Social Injustice. Poster presented at the Seventeenth Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology. San Diego, CA: The Society for Personality and Social Psychology.

Bodford, J.E., Sobota, D. S., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2015). *Fatal attractions: Anxious cell phone attachment predicts anthropomorphic beliefs and dangerous digital multitasking*. Poster presented at the Twenty-Seventh Annual Convention of the Association for Psychological Science. New York, NY: The Association for Psychological Science.

Bodford, J. E. & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2015). *Driving, interrupted: Attachment to cell phones predicts life-threatening polychronic behaviors*. Oral presentation delivered at the Eleventh Annual Graduate & Professional Student Association Interdisciplinary Research Symposium. Tempe, AZ: ASU Graduate & Professional Student Association.

Bodford, J. E., Brennan, A. J., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & Marcellino, I. G. (2015). *A Recipe for disaster virality: Attention to human harm is culture-specific, but to economic harm is universal*. Poster presented at The Sixteenth Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology. Long Beach, CA: The Society for Personality and Social Psychology.

Barraza, R., Bodford, J. E., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2015). *Out of sight, out of mind: The impact of neuroticism on Facebook stalking, break-up recovery, and well-being*. Poster presented at The Sixteenth Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology. Long Beach, CA: The Society for Personality and Social Psychology.

Adelman, R. M., Herrmann, S. D., Bodford, J. E., Okun, M. A., Graudejus, O., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2015). *Feeling Closer to the Future Self and Doing Better in School: Future Self-Continuity, Self- Control, and Academic Performance*. Poster presented at the annual meeting for the Society of Personality and Social Psychology in Long Beach, CA.

Shangraw, A. M., Adelman, R. M., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2015, February). *The Influence of the “War on Cancer” Metaphor on Illness Perception and Treatment Decision*. Poster presented at the annual meeting for the Society of Personality and Social Psychology in Long Beach, CA.

Shropshire, J.S., Herrmann, S.D., Adelman, R.A., Graudejus, O.G., Okun, M.A. & **Kwan**, V.S.Y. (2015). *It’s a Man’s World: Gender Differences in Regulatory Focus and Academic Performance in STEM Fields*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Long Beach, CA.

Bodford, J. E., Glazer, S., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2014). *From Internet to workplace: Sources and modalities of social support across cultures*. Oral symposium co-chaired and presented at the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology. Reims, France: The Twenty-Fourth Congress of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology.

Herrmann, S.D., Okun, M.O., & **Kwan**, V.S.Y. (2014). *Tomorrow Never Knows: Paradoxical Effects of a Future Prime on Performance Among Low Socioeconomic Status College Students*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, TX.

Bodford, J. E. & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2014). *Other fish in the cybersea: The Impact of technology use on divorce and well-being across cultures*. Poster presented at The Fifteenth Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology. Austin, TX: The Society for Personality and Social Psychology.

Herrmann, S. D., Bodford, J. E., Adelman, R. A., Graudejus, O., Okun, M. A., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2014). *Tomorrow never knows: Paradoxical effects of a future prime on performance among low socioeconomic status college students*. Poster presented at The Fifteenth Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology. Austin, TX: The Society for Personality and Social Psychology.

Filip-Crawford, G., White, A.E., & **Kwan**, V.S.Y. (2014). *Angry Lesbians and Happy Gays: Emotional Expression Influences the Perception of Sexual Orientation*. Paper presented at a symposium titled “The Non-Verbal Expression of Positive Emotions: Variations and Social Implications” at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, TX.

Kwan, V. S. Y., Adelman, R. M., Johnson, K., Aktipis, A., Maley, C., & Neuberg, S. L. (2014). *Unintended Consequences of the War on Cancer*. Symposium presented at the annual meeting for the Society of Personality and Social Psychology in Austin, TX.

Bodford, J. E., Sobota, D. S., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2014). *Fatal attractions: Cell phone attachment styles predict dangerous and socially inappropriate multitasking behaviors*. Poster presented at The Third Annual Meeting of the Social Psychologists of Arizona Conference. Glendale, AZ: Social Psychologists of Arizona.

Brennan, A. J., Marcellino, I. G., Bodford, J. E., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2014). *A Recipe for disaster virality: Emotions and degree of harm predict information gathering and sharing behaviors*. Poster presented at The Third Annual Meeting of the Social Psychologists of Arizona Conference. Glendale, AZ: Social Psychologists of Arizona.

Bodford, J. E., Vidal, S. R., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2013). *National impacts of cyberlife engagement on relationship health and on- and offline safety*. Poster presented at The Twenty-Third Congress of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology. Los Angeles, CA: Congress of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology.

Bodford, J. E., Vidal, S. R., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2013). *National impacts of cyberlife engagement on relationship health and on- and offline safety*. Poster presented at The Twenty-Third Congress of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology. Los Angeles, CA: Congress of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology.

Herrmann, S.D., Okun, M.O., & **Kwan**, V.S.Y. (2013). *Effects of Socioeconomic Status on Academic Engagement*. Symposium presented at the Regional Conference of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology, Los Angeles, CA.

Votruba, A. M., Patel, H. N., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2013). *The Influence of Decisional Cohesion on the Persuasiveness of Expert Group Recommendations*. Talk presented at the Social Psychologists of Arizona Conference, Tucson, AZ.

White, A. E., and **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2013). “The Social Cognition of Global, Modern Disasters: Financial Meltdowns, Environmental Crises, and Viral Pandemics” Co-Chair and Organizer of symposium at the Society for Personality and Social Psychology.

Herrmann, S.D., **Kwan**, V.S.Y., & Okun, M.O. (2013). Testing Disengagement: A Cultural Approach To Socioeconomic Status and Decision Making in Education. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA.

White, A. E., and **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2013). "Doomsday is More Dangerous in 7 Days than 1 Week: Psychological Distance and Construal-Level Influence Perceived Danger" Society for Personality and Social Psychology.

Herrmann, S.D., **Kwan**, V.S.Y., & Okun, M.O. (2012). Testing Disengagement: A Cultural Approach To Socioeconomic Status and Decision Making in Education. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Social Psychologists of Arizona, Tucson, AZ.

Pirlott, A. G., White, A. E., Basillo, C., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2012). "Dating Ecology Factors' Influence on Sexual Health Decision Making," Society for Personality and Social Psychology.

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Basilio, C. D., Pirlott, A. G., **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2012). *How Latino Are You? The Role of Ethnic Identification in Evaluating Perceived Risk to Diabetes*. Poster presented at the 13th Society for Personality and Social Psychology Conference. San Diego, CA.

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Kim, S. H. Y., Lovis-McMahon, D., Diaz, P., Stahl, J., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2011). *Not sick enough: regulatory focus and SES-health gradient in medical decision making*. Presented at the meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Antonio, TX.

Diaz, P., Saenz, D., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2011). *Change in attitudes towards undocumented Mexican immigrants in Arizona and economic dynamics*. Presented at the meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Antonio, TX.

Kisbu-Sakarya, Y., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., Cai, H., & Sedikides, C. (2011). *Effects of family size and cultural values on narcissism*. Presented at the Congress of the XXI International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology, Istanbul, Turkey.

Amati, F., Oh, H., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., Keenan, J. (2010). The neural and evolutionary underpinnings of overclaiming. Presented at the annual meeting of the North-Eastern Evolutionary Psychology Society, New Paltz, NY.

Kwan, V. S. Y., & Alter, A. (2010). *From East to West: Evidence for Extracultural Cognition in European Americans*. Symposium presented at the Congress of the XX International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology, Melbourne, Australia.

Alter, A., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2009). *The Pervasive and Unexpected Role of Symbols in Priming Judgment: Who They Prime and What They Prime*. Presented at the SPSP conference in Tampa, FL.

Hui, M., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & McGee, J. A. (2008). *The Chinese Self*. Presented at the 6th Chinese Psychologist Conference, Hong Kong, China.

Gosling, S. D., Hilliard, S. J., John, O. P., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., Schapiro, S. J., & Vazire, S. (2008). Personality and performance in working dogs. Talk presented at the 14th European Conference on Personality, Tartu, Estonia.

Kuang, L. L., **Kwan**, V. S. Y. & Hui, N. (2008). Predicting alcohol use among college students: A componential approach and a cross-cultural comparison. Presented at the meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Albuquerque, NM.

Kwan, V. S. Y. (Chair; 2007). *The power of cultural and ideological symbols*. Symposium presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Experimental Social Psychology, Chicago.

Kwan, V. S. Y., & Alter, A. L. (2007). *Culturally-laden symbols affect everyday decision-making*. Talk presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Experimental Social Psychology, Chicago.

Kwan, V. S. Y., & Kuang, L. L. (2007). When does self-enhancement affect social adjustment? Talk presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.

Kwan, V. S. Y. (Chair; 2007). *Perceived human and nonhuman agents*. Symposium presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Society, Washington, D.C.

Kuang, L. L., **Kwan**, V. S. Y. & Hui, N. (2007). Conceptualizing and assessing self-esteem: A componential approach and a cross-cultural comparison. Poster presented at the meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Memphis, TN.

Gosling, S. D., Hilliard, S. J., Schapiro, S. J., Vazire, S., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & John, O. P. (2007, November). Assessing Personality and Temperament in Animals. Paper presented at the 5th International Working Dog Breeding Conference, San Antonio, TX.

Kwan, V. S. Y. (Chair; 2006). *On the relation between cultural information processing and multicultural identity dynamic*. Symposium presented at the XVIII Congress of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology, Isle of Spetses, Greece.

Lee, T., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2006). *Synthesizing the multicultural and colorblind models of diversity: Acknowledging differences without essentializing*. Symposium presented to the XVIII Congress of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology, Isle of Spetses, Greece.

Kuang, L. L., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2006). *The value of self-enhancement bias*. Poster presented to the XVIII Congress of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology, Isle of Spetses, Greece.

Kuang, L. L., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2006). *The value of self-enhancement bias on social adjustment*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Palm Spring, California.

Kwan, V. S. Y. (2005). *A new conceptualization and paradigm for studying self-enhancement bias and adjustment*. Symposium presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington D. C.

Kwan, V. S. Y., Gosling, S. D., & John, O. P. (2005). *Anthropomorphism as social perception*. Symposium presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Chong, J., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2005). *Collectivistic cultural imperatives and the perpetuation of Asian stereotypes*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Hui, N. H. H., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & Pun, L. Y. K. (2004). *Heterogeneity of self-esteem: secure and defensive self-esteem among Chinese college students*. Paper presented at the International Congress of Psychology, Beijing, China.

Cuddy A. J. C., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (Co-Chair; 2004). *Culture and prejudice: Bringing together new theoretical approaches*. Symposium presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, Texas.

Cheung, A., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2004). *Are envious stereotypes a mixed blessing?* Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, Texas.

Poretzky, L., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2004). *Capitalizing on cultural diversity: The effect of situational constraint on social identification*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, Texas.

Swann, W. B., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., Polzer, J., & Milton, L. (2003). *Vanquishing gender-stereotypic perceptions in groups: The interplay of individuation and self-verification*. Symposium: Causes and consequences of changes in stereotypic beliefs. Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Los Angeles, California.

Kahn K., Thein, S., Glaser, J., **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (2003). *Implicit learning of group membership*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Los Angeles, California.

Kwan, V. S. Y., Gosling, S. D., & John, O. P. (2002). *Perceiving personality in animals*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Savannah, Georgia.

Boucher, H. C., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., Bond, M. H., & Maslach, C. (2002). *Does the construct of individuation change meaning in a collectivist culture?* Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Savannah, Georgia.

Gosling, S. D., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & John, O. P. (2001). *A Social Relations Model analysis of anthropomorphic projections*. Symposium paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Experimental Social Psychology, Spokane, Washington.

Kwan V. S. Y., & Klohnen, E. C. (2001). *Individual differences in personality change across 25 years of adulthood*. In D. Mroczek (Chair), Personality development over the lifespan. Symposium paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Antonio, Texas.

Kwan, V. S. Y., John, O. P., & Robins, R., Bond, M. H., & Kenny, D. A. (2000). *Conceptualization and measurement of individual differences in self-enhancement*. Symposium paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Nashville, Tennessee.

Helson, R., Jones, C., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (1999). *Is there normative personality change?* Symposium paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, California.

Kwan, V. S. Y., Urland, G., & John, O. P. (1999). *Big Five personality and racial prejudice affect social perception*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Boston, Massachusetts.

McConnel, C. E., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & John, O. P. (1999). *Continuity and change in mate preferences over 40 years*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Boston, Massachusetts.

Kwan, V. S. Y., Bond, M. H., & Kenny, D. A. (1998). *Conceptualization of self-enhancement*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, California.

Singelis, T. M., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (1998). *The cultural construction of self and well-being*. Symposium paper presented at the Stanford-IPSR culture conference, California.

Judd, C. M., Vescio, T. K., & **Kwan**, V. S. Y. (1998). *Searching for the benefits of crossed categorizations*. Symposium paper presented at the Meeting on Social Cognition European Association of Experimental Social Psychology, Venice, Italy.

Li, C. J., **Kwan**, V. S. Y., & Bond, M. H. (1998). *Nomological network of relationship harmony in Chinese*. Poster presented at the XIVth Congress of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology, Bellingham, Washington.

Kwan, V. S. Y., Bond, M. H., & Singelis, T. S. (1996). *Pancultural explanations for life satisfaction: Adding relationship harmony to self-esteem*. Poster presented at the XIIIth Congress of the International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology, Montreal, Canada.